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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Sanjeev Midha et al. : Group Art Unit 1615
Serial No. 09/821,942 :
Confirmation No. 8169 :
Filed March 30, 2001 :
For: LEAVE-IN HAIR COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS
FOR ENHANCING VOLUME CONTAINING
FLUID-ENCAPSULATED, FLEXIBLE MICROSPHERES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Please enter the following revision:

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, lines 13-15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--This application claims priority under 35 USC § 119 of International Application PCT/00/8760 filed March 31, 2000 and of U.S. Application Serial No. 60/231,154 filed September 8, 2000.--

Remarks

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

No new matter has been added. Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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